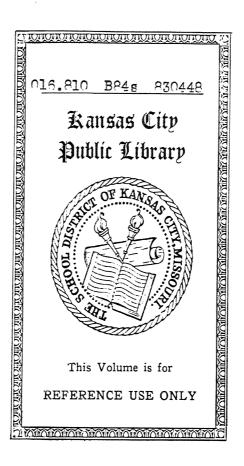
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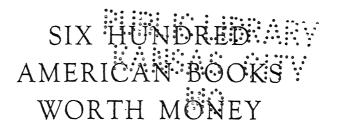
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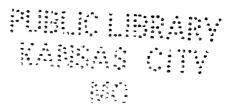
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READ CAREFULLY

THIS compilation of rare and valuable American books, published during the past seventy-five years, has been made to aid the average person in identifying books they own or may acquire. It is not intended for the collector of first editions, although many bibliophiles will find it of value as a handy reference.

Those thoroughly conversant with first editions will note the omission of many items, especially limited editions. In view of the fact that this list has been prepared to benefit the layman, who is unlikely to own strictly "collector's items," such books have been omitted. Likewise, while many of the other books by the authors listed are of value, the compiler has restricted this list to those books sufficiently valuable to be of monetary advantage to those who may own them.

The reasons why certain first editions are considered valuable by collectors are many but of slight interest to most of us. That first editions are valuable, and command premium prices, is the vital point.

There is a common misunderstanding regarding what gives a book value. Most people unfamiliar with rare books are under the impression that age is the determining factor. This is far from true. Just because a book is one, two or three hundred years old it is not, necessarily, valuable.

The two conditions that make a book valuable are scarcity and importance. On the side of importance, it may pertain to either the contribution the book makes to human knowledge or its literary quality. Thus, we find, the first editions of books written about fundamental subjects—we mean the first book written—are of value. For example, the first edition of Science and Health (subsequently titled "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy) is a book that has risen to considerable value. The same can be said, to a greater or lesser degree, of first books on practically any subject you care to name—bees, tobacco, chess, or shorthand.

In the realm of fiction it is the important writings of distinguished authors that, in first edition form, are prized and collected by the bibliophile. But, in any event, the book in question must be scarce, or better, rare. If thousands of copies exist and are to be readily obtained in any second-hand book store it makes little or no difference how important the author may be or if the book is considered a masterpiece. It is worth only little.

From the foregoing it can be readily seen that, even though a book be a century or more old, it must be an interest book—a book collectors are anxious to have in their libraries.—to be valuable. There are literally thousands of books well over one hundred years old that are virtually worthless because they are of me interest or importance. You can buy all you want for a few cents a copy. On the other hand, there are many books published during the last and present generation that are worth goodly amounts because they are scarce and important pieces of literature.

These are the books we will present because there is every likelihood of finding them in the family bookcase. They are the books we have read—the books bought by many American families.

Now, the second point we want to discuss relates to the physical condition of a rare book. The men and women who collect books — who pay anywhere from a few dollars to a few thousand dollars for a single book — want only copies that are in good condition. They are not interested in putting a book into their libraries that is battered and torn — no matter how rare or desirable it may be as a first edition. If they do accept one that has undesirable evidences of previous use, they expect to pay less for it than a copy clean and fresh.

Those having first editions for sale must remember this. A book with badly faded covers — spotted covers — pages torn or missing — marked in the text with ink or pencil — stained or dirty pages — loose in its binding — or any other signs of damage — is worth less than a perfect copy. Allowances from the values given must be made for they are based on the value of a good, clean example.

Let us now approach the most important consideration — the cash value of the books listed. The values given are the prices, as closely as can be estimated after consulting auction records and dealers' offerings, paid at retail by book collectors for the various items.

You are not concerned with buying books—but rather in selling them. It is what you can get for your valuable books that counts.

The person finding themself the lucky owner of a valuable book has three avenues of sale open. First, although difficult to find, is the private collector. In this case it is possible to secure either the full retail value of the book, or close to it.

However, as just stated, the individual collector is difficult to find. He is scattered the country over. Even if you are able to come personally in contact with one or more collectors you are still faced with the possibility that they may not be interested in the particular book you have to offer — or may not be able to afford it at the moment.

It must be understood that collectors of books are not interested in a book just because it happens to be rare and valuable. Book collectors specialize in their hobby — restricting their collecting to certain authors they admire or pursuing books relating to special subjects in which they may be interested.

Hence, while a first edition of Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" is well known to be a rare and valuable book, this fact in itself is of no consequence to the individual collector unless he happen to be collecting the writings of this particular author. And, if you offer a collector not interested in Mark Twain authorship a copy of that book he is, frankly, disinterested, regardless of its value.

The second source of sale is the book auction. In both New York and Chicago, during the fall and winter months, there are held at frequent intervals public book auctions. Here, those desiring to dispose of valuable books may send their offerings for sale. The organizations sponsoring these auctions issue catalogs which they send to a large number of collectors and book dealers. If you send them books worth putting up for bids they will list them in the catalog of the sale. But, they make a charge of so much per line for the listing and description of the various items. Also, they charge a percentage of the sale price as a commission.

The auction block is always a gamble. You may get only a small fraction of the book's worth or you may be happily surprised at getting a new top price for your copy. It depends entirely on who is bidding and how badly the book is wanted. A study of prices paid at auction for rare books during a single season will show how great a variation takes place — even for presumably equally desirable copies. There is one thing, however, to be said in favor of the auction block — you can always be sure of a sale. Someone will bid something. However, there have been instances where, after paying the auctioneer's commission plus the charges for listing the book, the price bid and paid failed to leave anything for the seller.

Finally, there is the dealer in rare books. He both buys and sells. But, it is obvious that he must buy for less than he charges if he is to stay in business and make money. Therefore, you cannot expect him to give one hundred dollars for a book valued at the same figure by the collector.

One must keep in mind that the rare book dealer occupies an establishment where customers may come and inspect a vast number of books. This costs rent which must be paid for out of the profit in each book sold. He issues catalogs which cost money to print and mail. He usually has one, two, three or more assistants. Their salaries must be paid. He has light, telephone and other incidental expenses to meet. And, finally, he has many thousands of dollars invested in rare books on which he is entitled to collect a percentage over and above the profit of doing business.

It is only because he has been willing to risk his money by investing it in a huge stock of books that he is able to attract a large number of collectors to his door. Out of his many customers may be one who will buy the book you want to sell. But, you might never find this person, yourself. Therefore, the dealer is fully entitled to all the profit he makes.

Usually dealers refuse to make an offer for a rare book unless it is extremely rare and valuable or if they happen to have a customer who has commissioned them to secure a copy. Generally they make the seller set a price he is willing to accept. If he places this too high they pass the book by. If he strikes reasonably close to what they are willing to pay a transaction generally results.

The dealer will usually pay close to half the book's retail value for

items that are quite desirable and in good demand. For only reasonably rare books that are not being actively called for he will pay only twenty to thirty percent of their catalog value.

At first glance this might seem unfair. But, remember, many articles sold in stores — things we buy day in and day out — carry a 40% profit. Collectors do not buy rare and costly books every day — consequently the man who sells them must make a larger profit because his sales are fewer and farther between.

In the case of the average valuable book, he may have to put it on his shelves for many months — perhaps a year or more — before a customer comes along who wants that particular book. Naturally he is entitled to a far greater profit when he finally sells it because, if he had invested the same dollars in a book more actively in demand he would have probably sold it, taken his profit, and reinvested it in still another book easy to sell.

Now, the fact everyone with rare books for sale should keep in mind is this. As a rare book, the copy you luckily own means nothing to you. If you are especially anxious to keep a copy of the book you can usually buy a current edition for a dollar or so. Hence, even though you part with your first edition for, let us say, only twenty percent of its value to the collector, you are that many dollars to the good.

Before concluding these few remarks on the subject of turning rare books into cash, there is one more point to stress. It is important to be sure you have a genuine first edition of the books listed. Note carefully the dates and other information. In the case of the dates, be sure no later date is given in the book you have. This applies to both the copyright date which appears, usually, on the back of the title page and the publishing date which is most frequently printed at the bottom of the title page itself. Many later editions have been issued which carry the correct copyright date but, upon examining the title page, a much later date appears there. These are not first editions and can only be classed as second hand books.

If the words — "New Edition" — or, "Revised Edition" — or, "Illustrated Edition" appear on the title page you can be certain you do not own a genuine first edition. Likewise, if the words — "Tenth Thousand" — or "Fortieth Thousand," as the case may be, appear, you are, also, certain that your copy fails to qualify as a first edition. The same is true if, in addition to the original copyright date on the back of the title page, there appear the words, — "Second Impression" — or any additional listing of later editions. Sometimes publishers use the wording — "Second Printing," — "Third Printing" and so forth. This, too, is proof of the book not being a first edition. Careful attention to these very important details will prevent offering, in high hopes, books for sale which subsequently prove to be worth only the price of a second-hand copy.

In the listing of books that follows all dates and places enclosed in parentheses () indicate that this information does not appear on the title page of the book.

It has been our intention in this foreword to speak frankly and honestly.

| LOUISA M. ALCOTT | Flower Fables, Boston, 1855 |
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| | Little Women, Boston, 1868-69. (2 vols.)\$500.00 |
| | An Old Fashioned Girl, Boston, 1870\$20.00 (Must measure 1 1/8 inches thick) |
| | Little Men, Boston, 1871\$25.00 (Must have 4 pages of advertisements in front, listing "Pink and White Tyranny" as nearly ready.) |
| | Little Women, Boston, (1880) - Illustrated Edition \$20.00 |
| THOMAS BAILEY ALDRIC | CH The Bells: A Collection of Chimes, New York, 1855 \$20.00 |
| | The Story of a Bad Boy, Boston, 1870 |
| | The Little Violinist, Boston, 1880\$100.00 (Pamphlet sold at Fair of Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.) |
| HERVEY ALLEN | Ballads of the Border, (El Paso), 1916 |
| WASHINGTON ALLSTON | The Sylphs of the Seasons, Boston, 1813 |
| | Monaldi: A Tale, Boston, 1841 |
| SHERWOOD ANDERSON | Windy McPherson's Son, New York, 1916 |
| | Winesburg, Ohio, New York, 1919 |
| JANE ANDREWS | The Seven Little Sisters Who Lived on the Round Ball that Floats in the Air, Boston, 1861\$30.00 |
| | Stories Mother Nature Told Her Children, Boston, 1899. \$15.00 |
| KATHARINE ANTHONY | Atlantic Tales, Boston, 1866 |
| GERTRUDE ATHERTON | What Dreams May Come, (By "Frank Lin"), Chicago, 1888 \$20.00 |
| | Hermia Suydam, New York, (1889)(In paper wrappers).\$30.00 |
| WILLIAM AUSTIN | Peter Rugg, The Missing Man(Contained in the Boston Book for the year 1841.) |
| IRVING BATCHELLER | Eben Holden, Boston, (1900) |
| JOEL BARLOW | The Vision of Columbus, Hartford, 1787 |
| WILLIAM BEEBE | Two Bird Lovers in Mexico, Boston, 1905 |
| EDWARD BELLAMY | Looking Backward, Boston, 1888(Number 38 of Ticknor's Paper Series for June, 1888 |
| AMBROSE BIERCE | The Fiend's Delight, New York. (1873) |
| | Tales of Soldiers and Civilians, San Francisco, 1891 \$25.00 |
| | The Monk and the Hangman's Daughter, Chicago, 1892\$25.00 |
| | Can Such Things Be?, New York, (1893) |
| | Black Beetles in Amber, San Francisco, 1895\$35.00 |

| AMBROSE BIERCE (Continued) | Shapes of Clay, San Francisco, 1903\$25.00 (Must have word "statement" misspelled page 167) |
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| R. M. BIRD | The Adventures of Robin Day, Phila., 1839 2 vols\$35.00 |
| CHARLES B. BROWN | Arthur Mervyn, Philadelphia, 1799 |
| HENRY H. BROWNELL | Lyrics of a Day or Newspaper Poetry, New York, 1864 \$20.00 |
| WILLIAM CULLEN BRYA | NT The Embargo: or Sketches of the Time, Boston, 1809\$125.00 (This is the second edition. Of the first edition dated 1808 only about three copies are known) |
| | Poems, Cambridge, 1821 |
| | Poems, New York, 1832 |
| | Tales of the Glauber Spa, New York, 1832 |
| | The Fountain and Other Poems, New York, 1842\$20.00 |
| | The White-Footed Deer and Other Poems, New York, 1844 (Volume #1 Home Library in yellow paper covers) \$250.00 |
| GELETT BURGESS | The Purple Cow, (San Francisco, 1895)\$35.00 |
| FRANCIS HODGSON BUR | Little Lord Fauntleroy, New York, 1866\$50.00 |
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| JOHN BURROUGHS | Notes on Walt Whitman as Poet and Person, New York, 1867 (Preferably with edges of pages trimmed) \$60.00 |
| | Wake-Robin, New York, 1871 |
| DONN BYRNE | Stories Without Women, New York, 1915\$100.00 |
| | Messer Marco Polo, New York, 1921 |
| JAMES BRANCH CABELL | The Eagle's Shadow, New York, 1904 |
| • | The Line of Love, New York, 1905\$30.00 (Must be bound in green stamped with white and gold) |
| | Gallantry, New York, 1907 |
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| | Chivalry, New York, 1909 |
| | The Soul of Melicent, New York, 1913 |
| | The Rivet in Grandfather's Neck, New York, 1915\$25.00 |
| | From the Hidden Way, New York, 1916 |
| | The Certain Hour, New York, 1916 |
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| GEORGE W. CABLE | Old Creole Days, New York, 1879 |
| | The Grandissimes, New York, 1880 |
| | Strange True Stories of Louisiana, New York, 1889 \$15.00 |
| MATHEW CAREY | The Plagi-Scurriliad, Philadelphia, 1786\$20.00 |
| | A Plum Pudding for the Humane, Chaste, Valiant, Enlightened Peter Porcupine, Philadelphia, 1798\$17.50 |
| | The Porcupinad: A Hudibrastic Poem, Philadelphia, 1799, \$15.00 |
| WILL CARLETON | Farm Ballads, New York, 1873. (Bound in blue cloth)\$15.00 |
| GUY WHETMORE CARRYL | Mother Goose for Grown-Ups, New York, 1900\$15.00 |
| WILLA SIBERT CATHER | April Twilights, Boston, 1903 |
| | The Troll Garden, New York, 1905 |
| | Alexander's Bridge, Boston, 1912\$20.00 (Blue or lawender cloth binding) |
| | 0, Pioneers!, Boston, 1913 |
| | The Song of the Lark, Boston, 1915 |
| | My Antonia, Boston, 1918 |
| ROBERT W. CHAMBERS | The King in Yellow, New York, 1895\$20.00 |
| MARY B. CHESTNUT | A Diary from Dixie, New York, 1905 |
| KATE CHOPIN | Bayou Folk, Boston, 1894\$40.00 |
| WINSTON CHURCHILL | Richard Carvel, New York, 1899\$20.00 |
| CHARLES H. CLARK | "Max Adeler" Out of the Hurly-Burly: or Life in an Odd Corner, Philadelphia, 1874 |
| SYLVANUS COBB JR. | The Gunmaker of Moscow, New York, 1888\$35.00 |
| WILLIAM COBBETT | Peter Porcupine, New York, 1796 |
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| JOHN E. COOKE | The Last of the Foresters, Cincinnati, 1856\$20.00 |
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| | The Single Hound, Boston, 1914 |
| | The Complete Poems of Emily Dickinson, Boston, 1924 \$15.00 |
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| JOSEPH RODMAN DRAKE | The Culprit Fay and Other Poems, New York, 1835\$35.00 |
| THEODORE DREISER | A Princess of Arcady by "Arthur Henry", New York, 1900 |
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| EDWARD S. ELLIS | Seth Jones: or The Captive of the Frontier, New York,\$35.00 1860. (Bendle's Dime Novel Number 8) |
| RALPH WALDO EMERSON | Nature, Boston, 1836\$150.00 |
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| | Nature: Addresses and Lectures, Boston, 1849\$15.00 |
| | Representative Men: Seven Lectures, Boston, 1850\$25.00 |

| | The Conduct of Life, Boston, 1860 |
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| (Continued) | May Day and Other Pieces, Boston, 1867 |
| | The Preacher, Boston, 1880(in wrappers) |
| THOMAS DUNN ENGLISH | American Ballads, New York, 1880 |
| THOMAS GREENE FESSEI | NDEN Democracy Unveiled, Boston, 1805 |
| EDGAR FAWCETT | Asses' Ears, New York, 1871 |
| EUGENE FIELD | The Tribune Primer, Denver, (1881)\$150.00 |
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| | The Symbol and the Saint, Chicago, 1886 |
| | Culture's Garland, Boston, 1887 |
| | My Book, Saint Louis, (1905) |
| PAUL LEICESTER FORD | The Honorable Peter Sterling and What People Thought of Him, New York, 1894 |
| FRANK FORRESTER | Fishing with Hook and Line, New York, (1877)\$25.00 |
| HAROLD FREDERIC | Mr. Sponge's Sporting Tour, New York, 1856 |
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| | The Dammation of Theron Ware, Chicago, 1896\$30.00 |
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| HENRY BLAKE FULLER | The Chevalier of Pensieri-Vani, Boston, (1890)\$30.00 |
| | The Cliff-Dwellers, New York, 1893 |
| S. MARGARET FULLER | Papers on Literature and Art, New York, 1846\$50.00 (In 2 parts and bound in paper wrappers) |
| HAMLIN GARLAND | Main Travelled Road, Boston, 1891 |
| ELLEN GLASGOW | The Descendant, New York, 1897 |
| F. R. GOULDING | Robert and Harold; or The Young Marooners on the Florida Coast, Philadelphia, 1852 |
| SARAH MCLEAN GREENE | Cape Cod Folks: A Novel, Boston, 1881\$15.00 |
| ARCHIBALD C. GUNTER | Mr. Potter of Texas, New York, 1888. (In wrappers)\$17.50 |
| JOHN HABBERTON | Helen's Babies, Boston, (1876)(In wrappers)\$50.00 |
| EDWARD E. HALE | The Man Without A Country, Boston, 1865\$250.00 |
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| LUCRETIA P. HALE | The Peterkin Papers, Boston, 1880\$25.00 |
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| FITZ-GREENE HALLECK | Fariny, New York, 1819 |
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| | Alm. dck Castle and Other Poems, New York, 1827\$50.00 |
| JOEL CHANDLER HARRI | Uncle Remus; His Songs and His Sayings, New York, 1881. (The advertisements should make no mention of this book) |
| | Nights With Uncle Remus, Boston, 1883\$20.00 |
| BRET HARTE | Outcroppings, San Francisco, 1866 |
| | The Lost Galleon, San Francisco, 1867 |
| | Condensed Novels, New York, 1867 |
| | The Luck of Roaring Camp, Boston, 1870\$100.00 |
| | A Set of Six Songs, with music by F. Boott, published by Oliver Ditson & Co., Boston, 1870-71 |
| | Plain Language from Truthful James, Chicago, (1870)\$30.00 |
| | The Pliocene Skull, Washington, 1871. (wrappers)\$100.00 |
| | Poems, Boston, 1871 |
| | "Excelsior" New York, (1878) |
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| | Peter Parley's Universal History, Boston, 1837\$750.00 |
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| | Twice Told Tales, Boston, 1842. (2 vols. in one)\$50.00 |
| | The Gentle Boy, Boston, 1839(paper wrappers)\$90.00 |
| | The Sister Years, Salem, 1838 |
| | Grandfather's Chair, Boston, 1841 |
| | Famous Old People, being the Second Epoch of Grand- father's Chair, Boston, 1841 |
| | Liberty Tree, with the Last Words of Grandfather's Chair, Boston, 1841\$20.00 |
| | The Celestial Railroad, Boston, 1843\$250.00 |
| | Mosses from an Old Manse, New York, 1846 |
| | True Stories, Boston, 1851 |

| NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE (Continued) | Journal of an African Cruiser, New York, 1845\$50.00 (No. 20 of Wiley & Putnam's Library) |
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| | The Scarlet Letter, Boston, 1850 |
| | The S- $1e$ - but in symbolic binding |
| -0 | The House of the Seven Gables, Boston, 1851\$75.00 (Advertisements should be dated March 1851) |
| \$ | The Snow Image and Other Twice Told Tales, Boston, 1852. (Advs. must be dated January, 1852)\$30.00 |
| 4 | The Blithedale Romance, Boston, 1852 |
| 0 19 | The Wonder-Book for Girls and Boys, Boston, 1852\$75.00 (Must have 8 pages of advertisements) |
| · | Life of Franklin Pierce, Boston, 1852 |
| | Tanglewood Tales for Girls and Boys, Boston, 1853\$50.00 |
| | The Weal Reef, Salem, 1860 |
| | The Marble Faun, Boston, 1860 |
| H | Doctor Grimshawe's Secret, Boston, 1883\$25.00 |
| JOHN HAY | Jim Bludso of the Prairie Belle and Little Breeches, Boston, 1871 |
| -6 | Little Breeches, New York, 1871 |
| LAFCADIO HEARN | One of Cleopatra's Nights, New York, 1882 |
| | Stray Leaves from Strange Literature, Boston, 1884 \$100.00 |
| | "Gombo Zhebes", New York, 1885\$25.00 |
| 0 7 | Historical Sketch Book and Guide to New Orleans and Enviorns, New York, 1885 |
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